

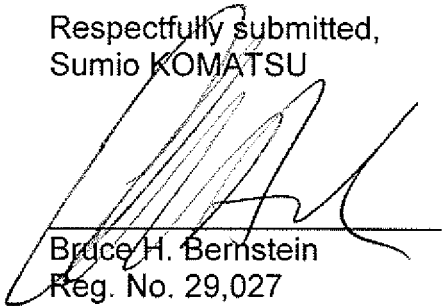
REMARKS

This submission is intended to clarify any confusion caused by Applicants' amending claims in the Preliminary Amendment, filed April 12, 2006. For example, in claims 2, 3, and 4, "having" was replaced with "has" and "being" was replaced with "is." However, claims 2, 3, and 4, as filed, already included the words "has" and "is" where such replacements had been attempted. Thus, those amendments were unnecessary.

This Listing of Claims corrects those errors and should eliminate any confusion.

Should there be any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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